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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**MBHB Case No. 99-918**

**In the Application of:**

**Michael Freed, et al.**

**Serial No.: 09/559,883**

**Filed: April 26, 2000**

**For: Methods and Device for Managing  
Message Size Transmitted Over a  
Network**

**Examiner: Lashonda T. Jacobs**

**Group Art Unit: 2157**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 3, 2005**

Dear Sir:

The Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in response to Office Action mailed May 3, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8.